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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kevin C. Jones

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GATEWAY AND CONTROL  
MECHANISM

Examiner: H. Akhavannik

Date: August 5, 2004

**Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116  
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Responsive to the Final Office Action Dated May 5, 2004, please amend the subject application as follows: